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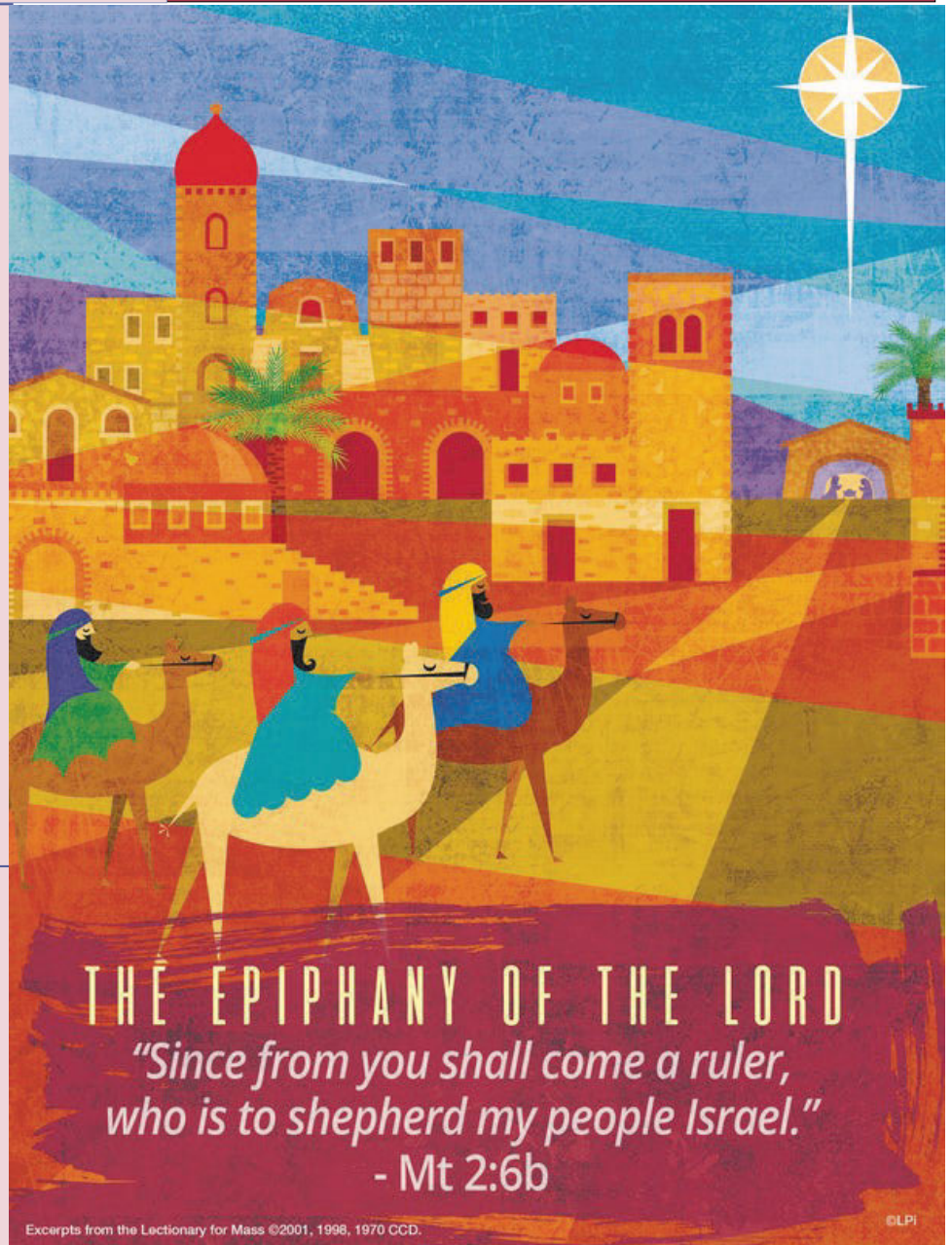
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Mass Times

Weekend

Saturday - 4:00 PM

Sunday - 9:00 AM

Weekday-

Tuesday - Friday -12:00 Noon

Adoration

Tuesday-Friday-11:00 AM

Confession

Saturday-2:30-3:30 PM

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The Epiphany of the Lord

St. Pius X Catholic Women's Group will not be meeting over the holidays. Please join them on Monday, January 17, 2022 from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm in the parish hall. Ascension Press is offering a new DVD series on the Mass by Dr. Edward Sri which we will be starting at our next meeting. For more information please contact Vivian at coloradohiker@comcast.net

2021 Financial Statements

Financial Statements will be available after January 21st. If you would like a copy of your statement, please call Pat at the parish office- 719-542-4264

The Light of the Moon

If you own a television that has been turned on at any point in the last month or so, chances are you've caught at least a scene or two of the 1946 classic film "It's a Wonderful Life."

If you're not familiar with the movie, it follows the life of George Bailey from childhood through adulthood. A dreamer by nature, George has big plans for himself that involve world exploration and adventure — but family and community obligations keep him tethered to the same spot on the map, leading an altogether ordinary life.

One of the most memorable scenes from that movie is of George dancing with his sweetheart Mary while they sing "Buffalo Gals — Won't you come out tonight/And dance by the light of the moon?"

That lyric always catches my ear. Of course, the moon doesn't have any light of its own. All the moon has is the ability to reflect the light that shines upon it.

The same holds for us, doesn't it? Our stewardship is purely a reflection of the grace granted to us by another. "Upon you the LORD shines," writes Isaiah, "and over you appears his glory." Every good action we will ever take begins in the mind of God. The fact that we have the honor of carrying it out on His behalf is a beautiful gift. It is God that makes our ordinary lives extraordinary.

In the end of the movie, George Bailey realizes that he had a far greater life because, instead of being the hero of his own story, he allowed himself to reflect goodness onto others.

Remember — the magi didn't chart their own course. They merely followed the star.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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Mass Intentions for the week

Saturday, January 1

4:00 PM- †Stanley Mena By Family

Sunday, January 2

9:00 AM- People of the Parish

Tuesday, January 4

12 Noon- †Virginia Edwards By Frances Ferrendelli

Wednesday, January 5

12 Noon- Special Intention for Howard Johnson By Barbara Osterman

Thursday, January 6

12 Noon- †Sam Keiffer By Bryan & Jennifer Gallagher

Friday, January 7

12 Noon- †Augusto Gomez By Lirio & Cely Polintan

Saturday, January 7

4:00 PM- †Andy Sefcovic By Rose Hopper
†Stanley Mena By Family

Sunday, January 8

9:00 AM- People of the Parish



Frances Agnes-01/02

Gavin Wolny-01/02

Mary Marshall Ortiz-01/03

Tammy Loeber-01/04

Laura Claspell-01/05

Scott Jones-01/05

Megan Robles-01/05

Cleio Arguello-01/06

Robert Davitt-01/06

Emma Marino-01/06

Abel Clawson-01/07

Robert Clawson-01/07

Scott Stevenson-01/07

Bethany Kwitek-01/08

Jackie Martinez-01/08

Tony Villalpando-01/08

January 2, 2022

The Epiphany of the Lord

In his Apostolic Exhortation, The Joy of the Gospel, Pope Francis references a thought from Pope Benedict XVI: "Being a Christian is not the result of an ethical choice or a lofty idea, but the encounter with an event, a person, which gives life a new horizon and a decisive direction." Today we celebrate an encounter with the Person of Jesus Christ! This simple but holy event in time dramatically changes human life, pointing it toward a new horizon and giving it a decisive direction. This is a message and truth that is not meant to be shared with only a select few who qualify but with the entire world. Pope Francis continues saying, "Thanks solely to this encounter or renewed encounter with God's love, which blossoms into an enriching friendship, we are liberated from our narrowness and self-absorption. We become fully human when we become more than human, when we let God bring us beyond ourselves in order to attain the fullest truth of our being."

Look around at people. Where is life heading for them? What gives them direction? Even we who are people of faith can get distracted and lose our focus. God, in all of His fullness, is revealed in Jesus Christ and we can encounter Him! God is tangible, real, vulnerable, poor, and full of wonders, surprises, and opportunities. For those who are struggling and lost, today is a day of great joy. All they have to do is reach out and touch the truth of Christ. This presence is revealed in the poor, exploited, and vulnerable ones who cry out for compassion and love. But it is also found in the faithful ones who see in the Epiphany of God a liberation from structures and systems that hurt us, a narrowness of mind and heart that constricts us, and an absorption in our self-agenda that prevents us from seeing anything other than ourselves as important.

We have been given the charge of preaching this Good News. If only we could find a way to be more effective, it might stand a chance of doing what God intended it to do. There is always tomorrow and our memory of that bright new light that shone so brilliantly that Bethlehem night pointing us to truth and reminding us that we are loved.

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Readings for the week of January 02, 2022

Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf.11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

Monday: 1 Jn 3:22-4:6/Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18/Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13/Mk 6:45-52

Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19-5:4/Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17/Lk 4:14-22a

Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 5:12-16

Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b/Jn 3:22-30

Next Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

or, Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]/Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22



Prayer please logo with a starburst. List of names: Anthony Berardi, Margo Ayala, Sadie Montelongo, Susan McDonough, Ted Bueno, Jimmy Sanchez, Debra Lopez, Susie Sisneros, Frank Kinnaird, Joe Mando Reyes, Norbel Gilbertson, Frank Lucero, Nanci Welte, Linda Welte, Cloedean Stringfellow, Ivan & Louise Roush, Melinda Esposito, Bette Mantelli, Rodney Metz, Connie Lopez, Matthew Smith, Isabel Bueno, Mary Ann Niccoli, Jean Scoles.

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